

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to all persons who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

OXFORD LODGE, F. & A. M., No. 18, meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, on or before full moon. R. H. Eastman, W. M.; Fred E. Smith, Secretary.

OXFORD ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 29, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. Lee M. Smith, H. P.; Charles F. Riddon, Secretary.

OXFORD LODGE, No. 14, R. & S. M., meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. Malcom C. Briggs, T. L. M.; E. J. Record, Recorder.

NORWAY LODGE, No. 16, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. Dennis Pike, N. G.; Delmore M. French, Secretary.

MT. HOPE REBEKAH LODGE, No. 68, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the first and third Friday evenings of each month. Crystal B. Harriman, N. G.; Eva M. Kimball, Secretary.

WILDEY ENCAMPMENT, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. W. S. Sloan, O. P.; Delmore M. French, Recorder. Sloan, O. P.; Delmore M. French, Recorder.

HARRIS RUST POST, No. 54, G. A. R., meets at the old K. of P. Hall every Tuesday evening, the first Tuesday evening in each month. W. S. Sloan, Commander; Freeman and Young, Adjutant; M. E. Kimball, Q. M.

HARRY RUST, W. R. C. No. 45, meets in the Modern Woodmen Hall over Stone's Drug Store the first Thursday evening of each month at 7:30 and the third Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Jennie Richardson, Pres.; Clara I. Jordan, Sec.

OXFORD CHAPTER, No. 168, O. E. S., meets in the K. of P. Hall, the second and fourth Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock each month. Alice E. Smith, W. M.; Eva M. Kimball, Secretary.

OXFORD OASTLE, No. 2, K. E. S., meets in Ryerson Hall every Wednesday evening, Sept. 1 to May 1; first and third Wednesday evenings, May 1 to Sept. 1. Allen L. Curtis, N. G.; E. S. Gammon, Sec.

NORWAY CAMP, No. 10,858, M. W. of A., meets at the Highway Block, every Wednesday evening, except the first of the month. Percy E. Noyes, Sec.

PENNSSEWASSEE LODGE, No. 18, K. of P., meets in Knights of Pythias Hall, every Thursday evening. L. O. Whitney, W. M.; G. O. W. Sheen, K. of R. & S.

LAKE TEMPLE PYTHIAN SISTERS, No. 45, meets at the K. of P. Hall, the first and third Tuesday evening of each month at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Mary Lewis, M. E. G. Mrs. Alice Walker, M. E. G.

NORWAY LODGE, LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE, No. 1014, meets the first and third Friday evenings of each month at Woodman hall. Dictator, E. Everett, Sec. A. J. Richardson.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY of Norway, Me., services every Sunday in the K. of P. Hall at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday evenings at the Mundy's on Temple Street. All are cordially invited to both meetings.

Sunday School for Pupils up to age of 20 years. K. of P. Hall at 10:30 a. m. Applicants should be accompanied by parents or guardians.

All of Mrs. Eddy's writings and the Journal, the Sentinel and the Monitor are on sale in Norway. Apply to the clerk, P. O. Box 121, or at E. Everett's Music Store.

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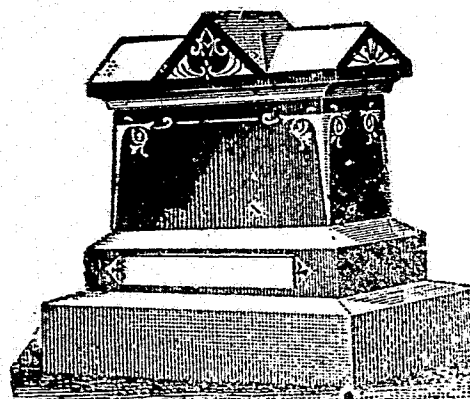
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Frank Spiller, last week.

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OUR FAMILY CAT

I have a cat in my house.

As fine a cat as ever was seen.

He was never known to catch a mouse.

He is not fast nor very loud.

He often sings but never howls.

Nor worries us with mischief bent.

He listens while I read the news.

And lives in comfort and content.

He likes to stroll on a starry night.

Down beside the garden gate.

Like other cats he likes to fight.

And stay out till the hour is late.

He wakes the neighbors from their sleep.

And fills their hearts with deep despair.

While through the midnight hours he creeps.

And dodges missiles in the air.

He likes to sit near the window pane.

While o'er his back his tail is curled.

And scattered leaves by the wind wind hurled.

When the mercury is running low.

He turns his back to the fire.

'Tis then I know the wind will blow.

And the storm is raging higher.

We would not sell him if we could.

His habits they are very good.

Our blizzards crown the little elf.

He never leaps upon the shelf.

He can not for the miser's gold.

Nor for our country's flag unfurled.

He does the very best he can.

His place here is in the world.

Thanks to him for the lesson taught.

'Tis one of sterling worth.

I'll try to do as well as he.

While here upon the earth.

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ALBANY

Fernald's Mills.

Mrs. Emerline Saunders

This community was saddened last Friday morning to hear of the death of Mrs. Emerline Saunders. She was born in Newry, 1832, was the daughter of Samuel and Annie Eames. In 1850 she married Ira Saunders and came to this place to make a home. To them six children were born, Ora H. Kendall, E. Elbridge, Elmer E. Argenta, F. and Mary R. Ora H. Saunders and Mrs. Argenta Farwell, three grandchildren, and four great grandchildren are left to mourn their loss.

About 29 years ago she left this place and went to Portland as a nurse. For the last 20 years she had her daughter, Mrs. Farwell, and granddaughter, Mrs. Garmon, have made their home together and there she passed away of heart trouble after being sick not quite two hours. Mrs. Farwell accompanied the remains to her old home, where her son, Ora Saunders and family live, arriving Saturday P. M.

Funeral services were held at the house Sunday at 1 P. M. Mr. Little of Bethel speaking words of comfort to the sorrowing ones. She was laid to rest in the cemetery near Hunt's Corner. She will not only be missed by her own family, but by a host of friends. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Sarah Jordan of Waterford. The flowers were very beautiful, a large bouquet of pink and white pinks and ferns from the children and grandchildren, a large spray of mixed flowers and ferns from Mrs. Sarah Jordan and family, a bouquet of white pinks and ferns from the volunteers of the N. E. O. P., a bouquet of pinks and ferns from Mr. and Mrs. Peacock, and a lovely six-pointed star from the N. E. O. P. of which she was a charter member.

Mr. Chesley Fernald is sick with rheumatism.

Flint is so he can get to the barn, but not able to do any work.

Mrs. Louisa Rand has been sick with a bad cold for the past two weeks, but is some better now.

Mrs. Agnes Farwell returned to her home in Portland Monday.

Grant McCallister the week-end with his son and family. He is soon to move his family to E. E. Barker's Mills.

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RUMFORD.

Lester E. Henry of Boston University spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Henry, of Lincoln Ave.

The service in the Baptist church last Sunday was a Christmas service. There was special music. The pastor, Rev. F. F. Fosbury, presided on the theme, "The Good Roads of Progress."

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Given and daughter Beatrice spent the Christmas holidays at their former home in Auburn.

Mrs. Louise Mathews and little daughter Pauline are visiting her mother in Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Bisbee, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Everett Jocelyn, in South Portland have returned home.

Mrs. Allen J. Reed is visiting her mother and sister in Lowell.

Charles Levin spent Christmas in New York City with friends.

Newell Francis, an Oldtown Indian, has been in town recently selling baskets. He is the chief of the tribe in Oldtown.

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BRYANT'S POND

Allen J. Hathaway of Littleton, Mass., is spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hathaway.

Myrtle A. Bacon of Boston is spending a week with her brothers, H. Alton and Ralph M. Bacon.

Kenneth B. Hathaway of Boston spent Christmas with his mother, Clara Hathaway.

Georgia Horr spent Christmas at her home in Bridgton.

William Ellery of Boston is building a garage on his lot opposite the station.

In another column you will find an ad where a homestead farm on Plummer Hill in Waterford with high-bred stock is for sale. This is the W. W. Abbott's farm. Read it.

HARRISON

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Allan Sylvester from Bowdoin college is at his home for the holiday recess.

Mrs. Chas. F. Knight, nee Cora Briggs, of Portland is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Briggs of Floral Lawn farm. Grace and Caroline Pembroke of North Bridgton are also guests at the same home.

Woodland Rebekahs held their election of officers at their last regular meeting



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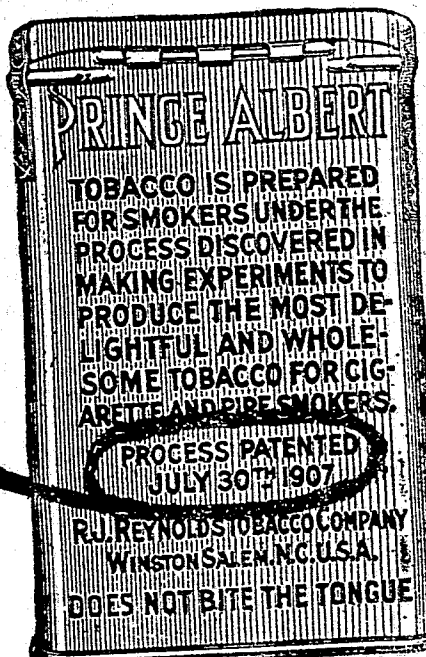
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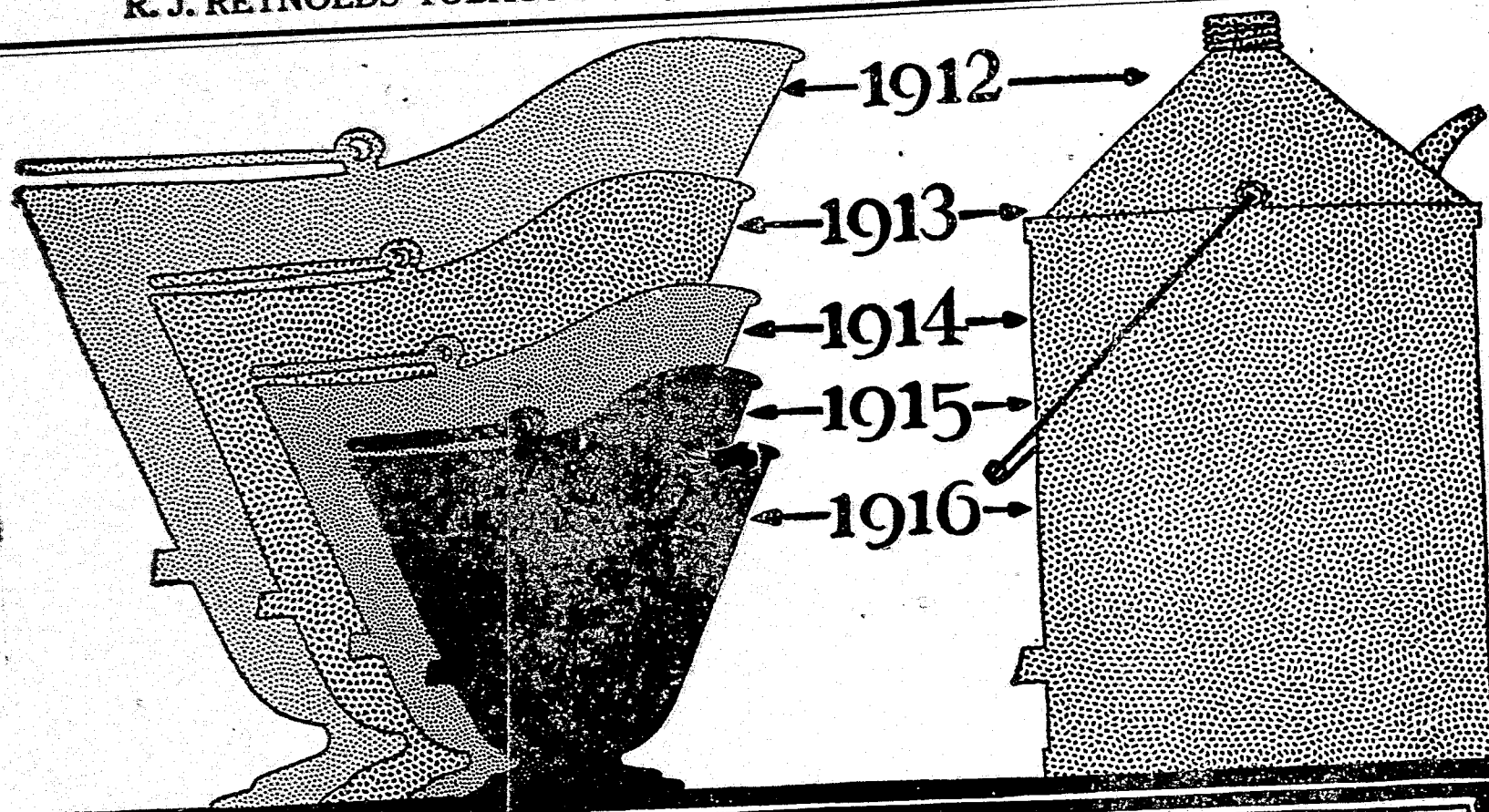
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WEST PARIS.

A Communication
The dairymen of New England are really in earnest in their effort to get a fair price for their milk, and it goes almost without saying that they will succeed. When a body of men the size of this unite for a just price for their products, they do succeed.

The Maine State Grange passed a good resolution for this purpose and authorized the Grange Service Committee to continue their work for this purpose. A preliminary meeting will be held at each County Seat Dec. 30th, and the work is now under way through the granges of this state to arrange for meetings to organize this entire state.

To be useful as well as ornamental is one of the original purposes of the Grange.

NORTH-BUCKFIELD.
J. P. Turner of Auburn spent several days at A. A. Warren's recently. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Holmes of South Royalton, Vt., are spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Holmes.

Mrs. R. J. Warren, Frank, Wilbur Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hammond spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Foster at Buckfield.

Fred Scott is at his home to spend Christmas with his family. Gerald Bessey and Herbert Spaulding are home from U. of M. for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Larrabee spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Wheeler, of Norway.

Mildred Rowe is home for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Keene spent part of last week with her parents in Helton. Mrs. M. A. Warren and two daughters Judith and Olithree were in Lewiston one day recently.

Mrs. Georgiana H. Warren and Mrs. Florence Warren spent last Sunday at Harry Buck's.

Mrs. Isobel Swallow and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Holmes spent last Sunday at A. S. Bessey's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Turner are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Maud Buck is working for her sister, Mrs. Turner.

Mrs. Agnes Sanborn has been a recent guest of her aunt, Mrs. Celia Dunham.

Mrs. Alice Hall died last Sunday. She will be greatly missed.

Linwood Morse is visiting his brother, Tilson Morse, of East Livermore.

LOCKE'S MILLS.
Justamere Club held their annual banquet Wednesday evening at the club house. The members found their places by means of cards. The appropriate menus announced the following good things: Grape fruit, chicken salad, oysters, mashed potato, baked fish, hot rolls, pickles, olives, coffee, cake, strawberry pudding and nuts. The prettily decorated Xmas tree bore a gift for each member. Dancing and Victrola music were enjoyed until a late hour. Those present were Marion McFarlane, Mrs. Helen Stowell, Edith and Eva Fiske, Mrs. Lillian Swan, Bertha Bartlett, Mrs. Florence Swift and Edna Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Brewster of Lewiston are Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Band.

Dannie Cross is home from Massachusetts for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Tibbets will entertain Mrs. E. L. Tebbets and son Don of Auburn, Lester Tebbets and Fred Morton, Christmas Day.

Mrs. Elmer Fiske and daughter Edith were in Norway Wednesday.

Marion McFarlane is visiting relatives in Auburn over the Xmas holidays.

There was a Xmas tree and entertainment at the church Friday evening. The tree was well laden with gifts.

Eldon Goodwin's baby is very ill with bronchial pneumonia.

PIGEON HILL.
Isabel Thayer is at home from Kent's Hill School for the Christmas holidays, with her room-mate, Miss Helen Shaw, of New York City.

Robert Thomas spent Christmas with his daughter, Mrs. Rose Denning.

John Hummell passed away Saturday morning at Rev. A. J. Verrill's.

Mr. and Mrs. James King spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John King.

Irene King spent the week-end in Lewiston.

Gus Bray is working at John King's, laying hard wood floors in the dining room and pantry.

Miss Jordan of Mechanic Falls closed a successful term of school Friday at the lower schoolhouse. The parents were invited in the afternoon, after speaking and singing by the children, a Christmas tree was unloaded and social chat enjoyed. Miss Jordan will return after a week's vacation.

Lottie Sawyer will teach on Pigeon Hill upper school, boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. George Waitt spent the week-end and Christmas Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dunn of Oxford.

HARBOR.

Mr. and Mrs. Oney Mills spent Xmas with his parents at West Bethel.

Mrs. Alton Grover and daughter Frances spent Xmas with relatives at Oxford.

The Alcohol Mill has shut down for a while and the help have gone into the woods to work.

Bert Bixby intends to move to Berlin in a few days.

Amy Hunt and daughter Marion have returned home at West Bethel.

Mr. Westley has finished work for D. R. Hastings and returned home at Bethel.

G. Guphill went to Berlin one day last week.

Alton Grover and Elmer Culbert went to Bethel one day last week.

Evelyn Grover is visiting her parents at Harrison.

Mrs. De Grose is on the sick list. Alton Grover and Percy Culbert have taken a job of D. R. Grover for the winter.

GILBERTVILLE.

Mrs. Fred Hutchinson was in Rumford recently.

Mrs. Ada Chamberlain is very ill. Mrs. Thompson is caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving York and son Sherbourne are visiting in Paris.

Hattie Crocker is stopping at Fred Hutchinson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Daily are stopping in Lewiston for a few weeks.

Ben Daily, who has been very ill for several months, died Saturday noon.

Leslie Roberts arrived Friday for a visit with his family here.

Mrs. L. F. Roberts was in Lewiston last week.

Mrs. J. E. Hiscoc, who was called here by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Ellis, has returned to her home.

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NORWAY LAKE

Alton Frost was at home from Portland over the Christmas vacation. Mothers' Club will have a dance Saturday night.
Elden Hall came from Boston Saturday night to spend Christmas at home. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Flood entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. David Flood, Mrs. Winnie Hall, Virgil Flood, Elden Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham and little son Ralph and Rupert Richardson.

Scott Pottle went to Auburn Saturday to spend Christmas with his sister, Mrs. Ira Hewison, and returned Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Partridge spent Christmas Day at Roswell Frost's. Henry Porter from the village spent Christmas Day at E. E. Witt's. Mr. and Mrs. Asa Bartlett and family were at Bert Dunn's in the village, Christmas Day.
Milan Bennett and mother, Mrs. E. R. Bennett, and little Marion visited at Charles Boober's Christmas.
Will Tucker and Ralph have been at home for several days.
Mr. and Mrs. Asa Frost, Alton Frost and Mrs. Clarence Dunham and little Ralph took dinner Christmas Day at Mr. and Mrs. David Flood's.
Guy Ingalls was at home Christmas. Rilla Morse of Upton is visiting at Asa Bartlett's.

Mothers' Club Christmas
The Mothers' Club had a Christmas tree and entertainment at their hall Monday evening. The hall was very prettily decorated with evergreens and green and red crepe paper. Two large trees, one at each side of the stage were loaded with gifts, and several small decorated trees were on the stage. A large and happy audience listened to the following program:
Song, Christmas Bells.Chorus
Recitation, Christmas Eve.Lucy Witt
Declaration.Eight girls
Drill.Horace Brown
Acrostic.Oscar Frost
Declaration, For Christmas.Marion Bennett
Song, Aunt Ruth's Crick.Marion Bennett
Recitation, Daisy's Letter.Doris Elgore
Dialogue, Gifts for the Pets.Marion Bennett
Recitation.Eben Marston, Roy Ingalls
Recitation.Doris Roes
Tableau, Rock of Ages.Mrs. Grace Dunham
Song, The Angels' Song.Mrs. Grace Dunham
The Garden of the Christmas Fairies.Distribution of presents by fairies and Santa Claus.
Song.By Christmas Fairies
"Hark the Bells of New Year Ringing" Chorus
A short sociable followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Monk of South Paris spent Christmas day at John Wood's.

EAST SWEDEN

Louise Marr is home from her school at North Bridgton for the Xmas vacation.
H. H. Bisbee's mill was running a few days last week, doing custom sawing.
Mr. Bisbee's teams have been hauling boards of late to Bridgton station to be carried away.
Mrs. Wm. Durgin is home from a visit in Waterford with relatives.
We understand that the timber on the "Jackson lot" is to be cut and hauled to Bisbee's mill.
L. L. Kimball reports that he has received a nice Xmas present which he prizes very much from Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Bliss, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Raymond Kneeland helped Bert Kimball saw wood last week with gasoline power.
Hugh Smart and Perley Brown are cutting pine timber for Charles Bailey last week.

UPTON

School opened Monday, Dec. 18, with William Rockwell of Columbia Falls and Helen B. Morris of Oxford as teachers.
Edw. Warren was a week-end guest at H. I. Abbott's.
Oscar Judkins is at home from University of Maine for the Christmas vacation.
Doris Coolidge, who is attending Berlin High School, is spending her vacation at S. F. Peaslee's.
Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Warren and Helen Morris were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Whitney, Sunday.
Milard Fraser spent Sunday with his family.
Mrs. Bertha Judkins returned home Sunday after attending State Grange. Scott Coolidge spent Christmas at S. F. Peaslee's.
Daisie B. Warren and Helen B. Morris visited on Back Street Christmas Day. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pratt attended State Grange last week.

OXFORD

Rev. Malcolm McKay is gaining slowly. He went into the chapel to Christmas tree Saturday for a little while. There were no services in the Congregational church, Sunday.
News came here Monday morning that Winn Chase, a former resident of Oxford was seriously injured in a head on collision and was in a hospital at Berlin, N. H. Christmas Sunday was observed at M. E. Church by a Christmas sermon by its pastor and special music by a beautiful solo.
F. A. DeLane had a family Christmas Monday night. All of his family were at home.

SOUTH OTISFIELD

Daisy Ames returned home Thursday from Cooks Mills, where she has been spending ten days with her cousin, Mrs. Belinda Tubbs.
Mrs. Mayberry has gone to Boston to spend the winter.
Mrs. A. S. Ames is suffering with the rheumatism.
Levi Edwards is on the sick list.
Ernest Winslow and wife have gone to Portland.
Howard Ames has finished work for Fletcher Scribner.
H. R. Brazier and wife went to Norway, Wednesday on business.

WEST LOVELL

John Hall of Harbor butchered for Alton Lord, Z. McAllister and Alexander Laroque, last Wednesday.
The rain of last Friday left the roads very icy.
Everett Shaw and wife and Mrs. Frank Meserve spent Christmas with their sister and daughter, Mrs. Bertha Laroque.
Corra Fox of Heald's Lake visited her cousins, Lee, Christine and Hazel Fox last week.
Alonzo and Urban Hall who are boarding at Alton Lord's while logging, spent Christmas at home in Fryeburg.
Mrs. Olden McAllister and family were at her parents' in Fryeburg Christmas Day and attended the tree and entertainment there.
A tree loaded with presents was at the library hall Monday. Several took their dinners and enjoyed a social repast.

OXFORD PROBATE COURT

At the session of the Oxford County Probate Court held at South Paris, Dec. 19, the following business was transacted: Wills filed: Lizette M. Turner, Mary E. Ray, Canton; Harriet M. Chaplain, Waterford; Louise Trask, Mexico; Asaph K. Jackson, Paris; James M. Farris, Oxford. Petition for administration filed: Alvan Robinson, Sumner.

Administrators appointed: Eva M. Lunt, estate of Timothy H. Lunt, Buckfield; Walter Jasad, administrator of the estate of Julia M. Mogeja, Rumford; Carroll G. Curtis, administrative D. B. M. Will annexed, estate of Lucetta Curtis, Paris.
Wills allowed: Georgia Little, Bethel, James H. Little, executor; Rosario Rossi, Mexico, Albert Beliveau, executor; Wilma A. Duffee, Fall River, Mass.; Algonson S. Chapman, executor; Horace C. Andrews, Bethel, Addie L. Andrews, executrix; Moses E. Wentworth, Denmark, Maynard M. Wentworth, executor; Julietta Davis, Woodstock, Elmer B. Davis, executor; Mary S. Stanford, Lovell, Charles P. Stanford, executor; Irene G. Locke, Norway, Mary Ellen Tibbets, executrix.

STOW

A heavy rain Friday and a high wind Saturday and Sunday night make slippery traveling.
Chas. Wentworth is working for Chas. Seavey drawing bark to Fryeburg.
Walt Farrington of North Fryeburg was at his old place here after a one day last week.
Mrs. Martha Chandler of Sweden is working for Mrs. Almon Emerson.
Edna Everett and Irwin Daw spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Day.
Florence Meader of Chatham is assisting Mrs. Virgil Emerson with her work. Master Edmund Emerson had a Christmas tree Saturday night.
Louville Heald of North Fryeburg is working for his uncle, Morris Eastman.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bickford and daughters Elizabeth and Harriet, spent Sunday the 17th with Ezra Heald's family at North Stow.
Clara Eastman of Chatham is teaching the winter school in the Emerson district and Alice Charles of North Chatham at Stow Corner, Sadie Flint at North Fryeburg at Union Hall.

LOVELL

Henry McAllister is gaining a little now.
N. T. Fox and A. A. Stearns were in Portland, Saturday.
Elizabeth Bailey was at home Christmas from Augusta where she is teaching. Webster Walker is hauling wood for L. W. and P. A. Walker.
M. B. Stone is driving the R. F. D. at present.
Kearz Valley Lodge I. O. O. F. will confer the first degree Saturday, December 30 and elect officers for the coming year.
Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Charles went to Augusta Wednesday for the winter.
James Hatch and family started for California, Wednesday morning. Mr. Hatch has work there.
Harold Watson, son of F. B. Watson broke his leg below the knee Saturday. He was sliding and got thrown off. They took him to the Maine General Hospital in Portland.
They went to Fryeburg, Friday evening with the camera, "The Ranchman." It was a stormy night, but they had a good crowd and a good time. They have a fine hall, everything nice and did all they could to help out. A wet and cold crowd.
Herbert Harman is home from Jackson, N. H., where he has been at work in a store the past summer. He will go to business college at Portland the first of the new year.

EAST STONEHAM

The Christmas exercises in charge of Mrs. Charles Bartlett and Mrs. Melvin Bartlett were held at the vestry Monday evening. The little ones gave their parts in a very pleasing manner.
Francis Bartlett, who has graduated as a trained nurse from the Mass. Gen. Hospital, is at her home here for a few months. She will then go to France for a year's work as Red Cross Nurse.
Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Littlefield and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown from Lowell at their home Monday, also Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Small.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bartlett and family, at Grace Leslie, took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bartlett, Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bartlett visited her brother, Irvin Green and family in Waterford, Monday.
Helen McAllister and Perley Grover went to Norway, Thursday.
Mrs. Eugene Moore is visiting with her father and mother in Sumner.
Flora Wheeler and little son Elwin are staying at Burnham McKeen's for a few days.
Mr. and Mrs. Merton McAllister visited his parents in Bartlettboro, Monday.
School has begun again in this vicinity with Alice Perry as teacher with his sister, Elmer Parker visiting at his sister's, Mrs. Bert Nelson, one day last week.
Grant Albury.
Edna Bonice Butters and son Herman have returned to their home in Lowell.

NORTHEAST LOVELL

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fox and son are in Vermont visiting her parents.
Howard Palmer killed and dressed four hogs for George Eastman Wednesday and John Kendal took them to Lovell village Thursday and three of them went to Portland.
The Christmas supper and entertainment was well attended Monday evening at the Christian Church.
George Huxley has been sick with the grippe at his daughter's, Mrs. Bert Brackett's at the center.
Mrs. Mary Kendal has returned home after staying with her son John nearly two weeks while his wife was in Portland.
Mrs. Otis Andrews has gone to Lawrence, Mass., where she will spend the winter.
Orrington Rowe and Frank Farrar called on Freeman Andrews Thursday. O. E. Andrews called there one day recently, and Bert Brackett and wife were there Sunday.
Mrs. Mel Eastman has been very poorly the past week with neuralgia.

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DENMARK

Christmas Festivities
The church gave their Christmas trees and entertainment Saturday evening, Dec. 23 at I. O. O. F. Hall. The hall was full and every one enjoyed the entertainment given by the school children under the direction of Mrs. Merrill, their teacher.

Harold McIntire assisted Mrs. Merrill with the music, the drums and piano being used. Mother Goose with her children was the best part. The trees were very prettily decorated by the ladies of the church. John Berry was Santa Claus and came in a Christmas ship, which was a new idea and very prettily carried out. The boys and girls were dressed in sailor costumes, the girls' trimmed with blue and the boys' red.

Mrs. Lydia McIntire has been very ill but is better now. Mrs. Will McCauley, her sister, stayed with her through the worst of her illness.

Will Holland was brought home from the Maine General Hospital Christmas Day on a bed. He is in a very critical condition.

Harry Dunn who has also been in the same hospital returned without being operated on. The doctors did not know what the trouble was.

The Misses Crabb of Portland are spending their Christmas vacation with Mrs. Will McCauley.

Albert Colley spent Christmas at the Grandview, Mrs. Colley's home, where she is staying for a while.

Daniel Smith of Brownfield spent Sunday with the Dressers.

Corra Wentworth and sister, Mrs. Annie Robbins, of Mexico spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wentworth.

Geneva Sands spent the week-end with Miss Emma Trumbull of the South Road. Ralph Wentworth is home from College on his Xmas vacation.

Roy Osgood and family moved into their new house Christmas.

Mrs. Lydia McIntire and son Harold spent Christmas with Mrs. McIntire's sister, Mrs. Will McCauley.

School began Tuesday with all the young folks back from their vacations.

Mrs. Anna Allen is back with her daughter, Mrs. Maynard Wentworth. She has been staying with her other daughter Mrs. Will Lord, at East Fryeburg.

PORTER

Christmas at the Town Farm.
The selectmen and wives and friends surprised the inmates of the Town Farm on Saturday evening by impersonating Santa Claus, showering gifts on everyone. Coffee and cake were served by Mrs. Moses Chapman, matron of the farm.

John C. Chapman and James Hubbard entertained with violin selections and Mrs. Thompson favored the company with a dance. Those present were first selectman, H. D. Chapman and wife, third man, H. D. Chapman and wife, third man, D. R. Garland and wife, Mr. selectman, D. R. Garland, Mrs. J. C. F. and Mrs. P. B. Warren, Mrs. J. C. F. and Mrs. P. B. Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Chapman and daughter, Gladys.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mason have moved up with his father, Frank Mason, for the winter. Mr. Mason is feeling very poorly.

Harry Fox and Harold Stacy visited Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Fox on Christmas day.

MILTON PLANTATION

Among those who were home over the holidays were Clara L. Jackson, Harold A. Jackson, Clyde Lapham and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown.

Philip Clifford and Francis Lapham are home from their work in Pittsburg, N. H., for a few days.

C. S. Buck has gone to East Milton where he has work for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Morse have moved to East Milton, where they both will work on the farm of Mrs. Morse's brother, Ernest Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Buck were in Rumford, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Mersereau, formerly of Milton, have been calling on friends.

Mrs. Bertha Packard of Carthage is visiting her mother, Mrs. Joe George.

Nancy B. Millett is boarding with Mrs. S. W. Buck.

NORTH PARIS

The Christmas tree at the Chapel, Saturday night was well attended and a good entertainment by the children was enjoyed by all.

Christmas guests were Kenneth McPhee of South Paris at A. D. Littlehale's, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Morgan and little daughter, Sylvia of Greenwood at B. F. Ellwell's, Mrs. R. H. Ryerson of West Sumner and Alvina Chute of Lewiston at A. T. Hollis', Nina Bradford of Providence, R. I. at James Bradford's. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Allen entertained a large party of friends for the week-end.

Jona Littlehale went to Durham, N. H., Monday to spend the week with her brother, Albert Littlehale and family.

Edith Littlehale is visiting her sister, Mrs. Rose Swan at South Paris.

Carl Hollis is spending several days with his grandmother, Mrs. R. H. Ryerson at West Sumner.

NORTH FRYEBURG

There will be a New Year's ball at Red Men's Hall on Monday evening, January 1st. Straw's orchestra will furnish music.

There was a Christmas tree and entertainment at the Universalist church, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Clara Hastings has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Emma Brickett, at Fryeburg Center a few days the past week.

Mrs. Martha Binford is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Perley Libby at Kezar Falls.

Mrs. Lelia Chandler is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Mary Chandler, at North Chatham.

NORWAY CENTER

There will be a social at the vestry Saturday evening.

Harold Wynn has finished work at H. P. Brown's.

A. W. Whitehouse had the misfortune to lose his horse Sunday, it dropping down the road.

Will Mason visited relatives here, recently.

Carl Brown spent a few days at his father's, Alvin Brown's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Benson have returned from their visit at Mechanic Falls.

The painters and paper hangers of Norway and South Paris have united and fixed the price of a 9 hour day at \$3.00. See ad in another column.

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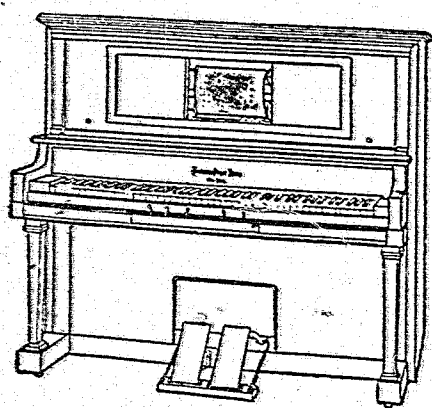
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Union Christmas Tree
The union Christmas tree held in Centennial Hall last Friday evening was enjoyed by a good number. It was a rainy night and a number of children and grown ups were not able to be present. Following is the program:

Song, Silent Night. Audience
Prayer. Rev. D. A. Ball
Scripture.
Primary School Songs.
Merry, Merry Christmas
Upon the Housetops.
Martin Luther's Lullaby
Santa Claus
Recitation. Six Primary girls
Scripture, Luke 11, 5-14 in unison
Song. Intermediate School
Two minute and half sermon on Giving.
Prayers. Six girls
Story, Miss Clara.
Distribution of gifts.

The Sunday evening service held in the Universalist church consisted of choice selections of hymns, Scripture, Rev. L. W. Grundy, Prayer, Rev. Sarah A. Robinson; and brief addresses by each of the three pastors on the theme "What Christmas Means To Me."

A good number of Christmas gatherings and family trees were enjoyed. Mrs. H. S. Mann entertained her brother, Elbert, and wife from Sumner; L. H. Penley had a tree for Master Donald; Carroll Bacon had a family party at his home; E. J. Mann had quite a party of invited relatives; Dr. F. E. Wheeler and wife entertained their friends, Misses Griffith and Wise from Portland. There were quite a number more who made Christmas bright for the sake of their children or friends.

Rev. and Mrs. L. W. Grundy went to their home in Skowhegan Monday for a few days Christmas visit with their relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ricker went to Falmouth to visit her parents over Christmas.

Mrs. Jesse Pierce has recently entertained her sister, Nellie G. Day, of Yarmouth, also brothers, Roy E. Day of Brattleboro, Vt. and Lorenzo Day of Wilson's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunham of Brattleboro, Vt. are visiting their people here.

Mrs. Fred Smith of Norway visited at E. H. Penley's this week.

Mrs. D. A. Grover spent Christmas with her parents in Portland.

Annette L. Austin is visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. T. White, a few days this week.

SUMNER.

Christmas came cold and stormy. A Christmas tree was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Flora Leslie Saturday night.

Lillian Leslie spent Xmas at home. Albert Davenport of Hartford was the guest of relatives in Sumner the last of the week.

Mrs. Clinton Buck has purchased a new kitchen range.

Mrs. Linnie Packard is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clinton Buck.

Mrs. Susie Garey is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Turner spent Sunday with relatives on Sumner Hill.

Mrs. Edward Cox spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Davenport and family.

Mel Barrows lost a cow recently.

Elsie Garey, who is stopping with Mrs. Guy Turner, and attending Buckfield High School, spent Christmas at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Garey, as did several of their children.

Christmas is a good time for the children and absent dear ones to flock home. Lots of folks are ill with the prevailing epidemic of "coughs and colds."

Asa Robinson brought home a nice deer when he returned from Kennebago recently.

The recent heavy rain and hard wind storm caused much damage along the telephone lines. Telephone poles were broken down and wires broken or otherwise injured, causing much repairing.

The World, from our lowly vantage point, looked like a dazzling fairland Saturday morning after Friday's rain. Every little bush and every tree was covered with frozen shining ice that glittered in the sun so beautifully that we seemed almost to be in the land of the Ice King itself.

OXFORD

Rev. H. L. Faulkingham and wife are entertaining his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Faulkingham from Jonesport and Rev. F. E. Pettet from North Carver, Mass.

The children of the Advent Sunday School met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Faulkingham Monday afternoon, where they enjoyed a Christmas tree with little presents for each one after a little program of speaking and singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Trebilcock entertained for the Christmas holidays Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Trebilcock from Auburn and John Trebilcock from Beverly, Mass., and Laura Fickett from Lewiston and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Trebilcock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Twitchell spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. James Dunbar.

The 10th annual Weavers' Ball will be held Friday evening, Dec. 29th at Robinson Hall. William H. Bean is hall clerk; Joseph Jacques, floor manager. The aids are: Hattie Farnham, Mrs. Mary Irvin, Maimie Langen, and Eliza Bowie. Music by Marion Fuller, piano; Fred W. Gove, violin; L. Leroy Edwards, cornet; Lawrence Pettigall, clarinet; George H. Rideout, string bass; and John McCarty, drums. An oyster supper will be served at intermission.

WATCH THE ADVERTISER

There are a number of fine continued stories to be run in this paper commencing next week. One of them forthwith coming is a story from the pen of Joseph Andrews of Marietta, Ohio. He relates incidents during his visit to the home land, Oxford County, last summer and many a Fryeburg and West Fryeburg man appears, including those of Hill, Pike, Weeks, Ballard, Andrews, Heath, Kelley, Stone, Farrington, Swan, Walker, Gray and many others.

Granville Fernald of South Waterford will soon have a story of his early recollections of Otisfield and one on "Recollections of Bolster's Mills in which many interesting incidents are graphically told. It will be a matter of curious interest to the readers of the Advertiser, who are in the best acquainted with Bolster's Mills and its people of surrounding towns. If you are not a subscriber to this paper, become one at once and secure the benefit of these local stories, you will be interested. \$1.50 pays for the paper for one year, \$1.00 for eight months, 75c for six months, 50c for four months, 35c for three months and 25c for two months. Attend to this at once.

R. F. Whitman of Lake street, Oxford, is advertising for sale, truckman's sleds, pungs and harness. See ad in another column.

THE CARE OF FOOD

Dorothea Beach, Instructor in Home Economics, U. of M.

Much of the home-maker's time is spent in trying to keep clean. For generations, she has considered that dust is her natural enemy with which she must continually wage war.

The contents of dust may be divided into two groups; first, visible, inorganic or lifeless dust, which is mostly mineral matter; and second, invisible, organic or living dust which contains bacteria, yeasts and molds. It is with this second group that we are particularly concerned when thinking of the care of food.

The conditions which are favorable for the growth of these living organisms are, food, warmth, moisture, impure air, dirt. The conditions which are unfavorable for their growth are, direct sunlight, light, dryness, cold, much fresh air, cleanliness.

The most important and most numerous of the three organic kinds of dust are the bacteria. They are everywhere. They may be divided into two classes, disease-producing or pathogenic bacteria, and those which do not produce disease or non-pathogenic bacteria. The latter are more numerous and, under usual conditions, are harmless. Some of them are very useful and the results of their action are familiar in ripened cheese, the flavor of butter, in vinegar, etc. Some of them bring about the spoiling of our food, as shown in the souring of milk, the decomposition in putrid meat and rotten eggs.

Every housewife is familiar with the use of yeast in the making of bread and in brewing purposes. The appearance of molds is just as familiar.

It is against the action of bacteria, yeasts and molds that we need to preserve food. Food may be preserved by drying, smoking, salting; by boiling and sealing from the air, as in canning; by preserving by means of sugar; by cold storage; and by ordinary cooking.

Cooking is the most familiar method of preserving food in the home. Cooked food keeps longer than uncooked food because much of the bacterial action is arrested by the heat.

Every housewife has had some experience with canning and preserving. Lack of success is usually due to carelessness in the sterilization of the jars or of the fruit or vegetable used.

The ice chest is the common means of cold storage in the home. Excellent housekeepers often fail to keep the ice chest as clean and sweet as it should be kept. Once a week everything should be removed from the shelves and walls of the food and ice chambers should be thoroughly washed with hot water and soap and sal soda, wringing with clean hot water and drying. The drain pipe should not be neglected. Everything put into the ice chest should be clean. The milk bottles should be washed and papers removed from the bundles delivered from the store. If dirt is put into a clean ice chest it will contaminate the food.

Every part of the kitchen should be kept clean. Flies should never be seen in the kitchen. In waging a war for cleanliness, the housewife is waging a war for health.

THE DAIRY BARN.

A good business farmer seldom puts more than \$50 per cow in a dairy barn. Good, substantial barns are often built for much less. Wealthy men sometimes build barns which cost \$1,000 to \$1,500 per cow.

If rent were charged the cows for the use of these buildings it would amount to \$100 to \$150 per year for each cow. Such expense, of course, makes it utterly impossible to secure profits from such dairies even with the most economical methods of feeding and management.

Sometimes too little money is invested in dairy buildings, in which case undue labor is required in taking care of the cows. Work is often done at a great disadvantage, as for instance when silage must be carried to the cows in baskets.

Dairy work must be done twice a day every day in the year. A slight fault in arrangement may mean a large amount of extra work in a year's time.

Dairy cows consume large amounts of feed, especially rough feeds such as hay and silage. Unless care is taken to arrange for the saving of labor, the feeding of stock will require a large amount of unnecessary work. To reduce labor the feed should be stored as close to the point of feeding as possible. For a long barn a truck for conveying ensilage and other roughage to the cows often saves a great amount of labor. The location of the silo is of great importance in saving labor. It may be so located that the silage can be transferred from the silo to an inexpensive truck with a single handling, thence pushed along a feed way in front of the cows and transferred to the manger, with less than one-fourth the labor required when it is brought from the silo to the cows in baskets. Dairy cows require large amounts of hay and this hay should not have to be transported very far from the hay mow to the cows. An overhead loft is to be recommended because it permits the feeding of hay with a minimum of labor.

In a dairy barn cleanliness requires that all manure be removed at least once a day. Means should therefore be provided for removing this material quickly and easily. Bad construction in this particular may make it necessary to remove manure by means of a wheelbarrow—a method entailing a large amount of hard and disagreeable work. The barn may be so planned that a team can be driven through from end to end, the litter being removed directly from the gutter to wagon or spreader and thence drawn at once to the field; or an overhead litter carrier system may be used, making the labor very much less than that required by the wheelbarrow method.

One of the most serious mistakes which can be made is to locate the milk house so as to require a great number of unnecessary steps and the loss of time in taking milk from barn to milk room. Some idea of the loss of time and energy may be had by a little calculation. Thus, if the milk from each cow is carried 50 feet further than necessary, this means an extra distance of 12 rods for each cow daily. If 40 cows were milked this means one and one-half miles a day or 547 miles a year. The same principle applies to unnecessary steps in cleaning out the stable and feeding the cows. The milk room should be located adjoining or very close by the dairy barn.

The dairy barn is a place where human food is produced. Moreover, this food is used in an uncooked state and in many instances for infant feeding. Cleanliness must therefore be observed in every operation and the barn must be so constructed as to permit of easy, thorough, and frequent cleaning, and as nearly as possible, the avoidance of all dust.

POTATO BREAD

Boiled Potatoes Mixed with Flour Make a Product as Nutritious and Palatable as Ordinary Bread.

Excellent bread can be made by using 3 pounds of boiled and mashed potato and 2½ pounds of good bread flour, according to the baking specialists of the department. The bread so compounded has a rich, brown crust and tender and elastic crumb. It has an appetizing odor and a very agreeable taste, which is preferred by many to that of bread made wholly from flour. When made according to the directions given below, potato bread contains more mineral matter, fiber, and moisture, but otherwise in composition and nutritive value is practically the same as ordinary bread. Bread made this way is much more moist than ordinary bread.

Potato Bread—Straight Dough Method.
For four 1-pound loaves, the following ingredients are required, 3 pounds of boiled and peeled potatoes, 2½ pounds of good bread flour, 3 level tablespoons of sugar, 1½ level tablespoons of salt, 2 cakes of compressed yeast, 4 tablespoons of lukewarm water.

Wash thoroughly and boil in their skins about 12 potatoes of medium size. Cook them until they are very tender. Drain, peel, and mash them while hot, being careful to leave no lumps. Allow the mashed potato to cool to 86 degrees F., or until lukewarm. To 3 pounds (5 solidly packed ½-pint cups) of the mashed potato, add the yeast, which has been rubbed smooth in a cup with 3 tablespoons of lukewarm water. To get all the yeast, rinse the cup with the remaining tablespoonful of water and add this also to the potato. Next add the salt, the sugar, and about 4 ounces of the flour (1 scant ½-pint of sifted flour). Mix thoroughly with the hand, but do not add any more water at this stage.

Cover the mixing bowl to avoid the formation of a crust on top and place out of the way of drafts to rise, where the temperature cannot fall below 80 degrees F. or be much higher than 88 degrees F. Where the housewife has no thermometer, she should see that the dough in all the risings is kept moderately warm, but not up to blood heat. Any water used in mixing the dough should be moderately warm, but by no means hot. This sponge, if kept at the proper temperature, should, after two hours, become quite light.

To this well-risen sponge, which now will be found to be quite soft, add the remainder of the flour, kneading thoroughly until smooth and elastic dough has been formed. The dough must be very stiff, since the boiled potato contains a large amount of water, which causes the dough to soften as it rises. Do not add water to the dough unless it is absolutely necessary to work in the flour. Set the dough back to rise again (temperature at about 86 degrees F.) until it has trebled in volume, which will require another hour or two. Then divide the dough into four approximately equal parts, reserving a tiny lump weighing 3 or 4 ounces for an "indicator." Shape the sample into a ball and press it into the bottom of a small tumbler with straight sides. The glass should be slightly warmed. Note the volume of the ball of dough in the tumbler and mark the glass at twice this volume.

Mold the four portions into loaves and place in greased pans which have been slightly warmed. Place the glass containing the "indicator" beside the pans, and rise under proper temperature, until the "indicator" shows that it has doubled in volume, then place the loaves in the oven and bake in a good steady heat (400 degrees to 425 degrees F.) for 45 minutes.

To test oven.—Where no oven thermometer is at hand, a convenient test will be to put a teaspoonful of flour in an earthen dish in the oven. If this flour becomes light brown evenly throughout in 5 minutes' time, the oven is too hot.

Potato Bread—Sponge Method.

For four 1-pound loaves are required: 3 pounds of boiled and peeled potatoes, 2½ pounds of good bread flour, 3 level tablespoons of sugar, 1½ level tablespoons of salt, 1 cake of compressed yeast, 4 tablespoons of lukewarm water.

Boil, peel and mash the potatoes as directed in the straight dough method. In the evening take 1½ pounds, or 2½ solidly packed half-pint cups, of the cool mashed potato; add to it the salt, 4 oz. of flour, (1 scant half-pint cupful) and the yeast rubbed smooth with the water, reserving one spoonful to rise the cup. In the morning add the remainder of the potato, the sugar, and the rest of the flour. Knead thoroughly until a smooth and very stiff dough is formed. After working the dough, set it to rise according to the directions given for the second rising under the straight dough method. Thereafter handle the dough exactly in the same way as is given under the straight dough method.

Potato Bread Rolls.

Very good rolls can be made from a similar mixture of boiled potatoes and flour by adding shortening and sugar. The following proportions will yield one dozen small rolls: 8 ounces of boiled and peeled potatoes, 6 ounces of sifted flour, ½ cake of compressed yeast, 3 level teaspoons of salt, 2 tablespoons of lukewarm water, 2 tablespoons of sugar, 2 tablespoons of powdered milk, added to the dough, will greatly improve the quality of the rolls. Although milk itself or cream may be used, it must be borne in mind that they will increase the liquid content.

Boil, peel and mash the potatoes as directed for bread making. Add, in order, to this the salt, the powdered milk (if used), the yeast rubbed smooth and mixed with the water, and lastly two tablespoons of flour. Let this mixture stand at a temperature of about 80 degrees F. until the dough begins to collapse. Add to this sponge the butter, the sugar, and the remainder of the flour, and, if necessary, enough more flour to make a very stiff dough. Knead thoroughly until a smooth dough which is no longer sticky, has been formed. Set back to rise again, and when the dough has trebled in volume, knead lightly, form into small balls, and place, not too close together, in greased pans. Allow to rise until double in volume, as shown by the "indicator," and bake 20 minutes in a moderately hot oven, at about 400 degrees F.

"Woodstock in the Civil War" nicely printed and in pamphlet form has been received. It is the address made by James L. Bowker at the Woodstock Centennial August 18, 1915 and gives the names of those from that town who served their country in that great struggle.

What Do We Live For?

Ask the average person this question and the answer will be that he lives to do a certain work. The fact that we are here for a more definite purpose than to pay doctors' bills or hospital expenses creeps in very slowly. The terrible ravages of a dire scourge in our cities, one which the most expert physicians know little about which has carried off so many hundreds of children should arouse to a realization that there is a cause for all these bad conditions and that it is as much the duty of a man to provide protection and proper food as to pay the doctor's bill. In fact it will be well if we come to see that disease is not the order of life but to be charged to failure on the part of men and women, a failure for which they are responsible. I take it that it is as much the duty of a man to guard his body from disease as his brain from ignorance. No person has the right legally or morally, to bring children into this world unless ready to assume the responsibility of guarding their bodies and brains, yet how signally we fail of our obligations, how easy it is to charge responsibility upon some outside and unseen force or power.

The ravages of certain diseases, especially the more malignant, and the alarming rate of increase calls for a more serious consideration on the part of every thoughtful man and woman. It is a fact that the principles underlying good healthy living are not popular. Thinking we follow the cravings of our palate and consider only satisfying of its demands regardless of the character of the food or its after effects on our bodies.

Talking not long ago with one of those men who volunteered a few years ago to join one of the prison squads, in one of our colleges, where all food was selected from that on the market which had been treated with safe preservative, or to which there had been added some agent to increase the profit of the manufacturer and he told me that he had no hope of ever getting free from the injurious effects of those six weeks. All the time he ate nothing except what others were buying in the market for their tables.

It is high time we began to look more carefully into this matter of food selection and place less reliance on the doctor. There is no creative power in a drug; it only stimulates increased activity in some organ and so aids in throwing off waste or bringing about more normal action. If we could but eat to live and guard our food supply with this thought, troubles would largely disappear.

I defy one to get into a dining hall for a late harvest feast without hearing one or more say: "I know I ought not to drink coffee at night, but I am going to risk it this time." Here is a common remark, yet it is virtual admission that the person cares more for the gratification of the palate than for the good of their health. God made the foods of earth healthy and if we could but follow nature and eat natural foods there would be less use of the doctor. Instead, there is hardly a product, except those gathered direct from the field or orchard, which has not been so treated that it falls signally to provide the essential elements so necessary for health.

Authorities state that chickens fed on bakers' bread, cake, crackers and gingerbread, soon begin to lose their feathers and droop; they huddle in the corners and show all symptoms of disease, when the ration is changed to wheat, corn and oats, they rapidly regain activity. All this because of what has been taken out of the wheat, corn and oats, and what has been added to increase profits.

All, or very much of the flour sold today is branded "bleached," which means certainly that something poorer has been added to the best wheat, for the greater profit of the manufacturer, and in many cases the whole has been treated chemically, or by electricity, to insure whiteness, and by calcined plaster, and other agents not conducive to health, to give the mass lightness, and enable the baker to realize more from his barrel than otherwise would be possible.

A dealer told me within a few days that he could not sell a straight flour because the women came more for the looks of the loaf than for what there is in it. Dealing here with the very issues of life one would think that the first consideration would be to insure purity of product and the maximum of health producing elements in all our food. Instead we insist on that which has been demineralized, or devitalized, overlooking the fact that in the removal of the elements from the wheat, corn, rye or oats, we are unbalancing our bodies and opening the way for disease more easily to enter. In a future letter I want to go into this matter still more fully, for its importance cannot be estimated.—Maine Farmer.

The Eight-hour Law

The principal criticism of the new eight-hour law for railway operatives is, not because it gives eight hours as a day's work so much as the way it was passed, without arbitration and because the men drove the president into advocating the passage of the bill to prevent the threatened strike. But what was the good of arbitration, from the men's point of view? The facts and conditions were nothing to them, and it wasn't a consideration to them whether the roads could afford to give what they demanded. Arbitration is slow and expensive. The men knew what they wanted, and thought they had the power to enforce their demands, and evidently congress thought the same. If a strike had come it would have been disastrous to the whole country, whatever the result for the men and railroads, and that has been avoided for the present. The men have the same power to enforce any demands they did before, and the same crisis may come again. Congress might redeem itself by establishing a tribunal, to have jurisdiction over interstate common carrier employees, as it has for the companies employing them, and make it a crime for the leaders or instigators of such a strike.

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MAINE

After Christmas

A few words to the receivers of gifts that came from our store. We realize that there are many gifts of clothing, boots, shoes, rubbers and other furnishings that do not fit properly; therefore, we ask that the parties receiving such gifts return them to us in reasonable time and be properly fitted.

We sincerely thank the people of South Paris and vicinity for their patronage during the year 1916 and extend to all our best wishes for a HAPPY NEW YEAR.

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NORTH NORWAY.

Carroll Herrick has finished cutting wood for Fred Swan and will work for A. Herrick.

Mrs. Betty Herrick and son, Arthur, also Mary Manning dining with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Curtis on Christmas day.

E. T. Judkins was in North Waterford Tuesday after sawdust.

Word has been received here of the birth of a young son to Mr. and Mrs. William Gatty. The baby, Mrs. Gatty was formerly Ora Merrill of Noble's Corner.

Mr. Oscar Judkins of the U. of M. Orono, visited at O. W. H. Judkins' on Friday and Saturday of last week. He was on his way to his home in Upton to spend the holiday recess.

Mrs. Anna Morse and little son from Auburn are visiting at her parental home here.

Mrs. A. W. Judkins of Upton visited at O. W. H. Judkins' on Saturday. She was on her way home from Bangor, where she had been to attend State Grange.

Mrs. Sarah Heath dined with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Packard on Christmas day. Clayton Heath of Boston made his grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Heath, a call Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cox recently purchased the woodlot owned by Mrs. Mary Bennett and daughter, Grace.

Will and daughter started for Florida last Thursday to spend the winter.

Mrs. Martha Symonds will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Emma Packard.

Blanche Hersey, who has been spending some months with her grandparents in Yarmouth and attending school there, returned home December 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley Russell spent Christmas with Mrs. Russell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Knight at the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Russell, also Mr. and Mrs. Woodbury Russell and daughter, Hilda and Mrs. Anna Saunders were Christmas guests at Jesse Edwards at Norway Village.

SOUTH HARRISON

Mrs. Josiah Strout is sick, also Mrs. Jesse Holden, both are attended by the doctor.

K. W. Fogg returned to his canvassing for the New England Homestead, after a visit at his home.

Benjamin Leighton, who is at work in the woods for Joseph Pitts, came home for Christmas.

Henry Leighton began to get up his winter's wood. The rain Friday made it so wet he had to wait until it froze.

Frank Traflet is on the mending hand, he has got to be sited up.

Rene Buck is at home from Massachusetts, where she is teaching school.

Mrs. Gardner Whaley of Naples visited her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Holden, last Sunday.

Guy Thompson made a call at his father's last Sunday.

Herman Thompson and wife made a call Sunday afternoon on Charles Bachelor and wife in Naples.

Abel Fulkner, who is at work in the woods at South Paris, came home Saturday for Christmas.

Simone Pendexter recently lost his horse.

WILLIAM F. RUSSELL

Died in Somersworth, N. H., December 9th, Wm. F. Russell after an illness of several months. He was born in Waterford, September 20, 1855, son of William and Eliza (French) Russell. His father, Wm. Russell was the son of Major Wm. Russell of Fryburg, descendant of Wm. Russell of England, who came to this country in 1637. He was also directly descended from General Joseph Frye, one of Washington's staff officers and to whom the town of Fryburg was granted.

Wm. Russell, Sr. was killed at Hatcher's Run, April 30, 1865, at nearly the close of the Civil war. His wife, Eliza, dying about three years after, caused the family of six children to be scattered.

The subject of this sketch at that time being only thirteen years of age. He worked and attended school in Waterford and Bethel, began teaching school at seventeen. He attended Gould's Academy in Bethel, also Freeport High school where he both taught and studied.

He entered the University of Maine in 1877, but left on account of eye trouble before graduation. After a short stay in Portland he entered the Register of deeds office in Alfred where he was employed until he went to Somersworth, where he studied law in the office of Wells & Burleigh.

In August 1884 he was admitted to bar. Shortly after Mr. Russell retired from the firm and Mr. Russell became a member under the name of Burleigh & Russell. In 1889 Mr. Burleigh retired and E. S. Boyer was taken by Mr. Russell as partner. In 1894 Mr. Boyer withdrew, since which time Mr. Russell has conducted the business alone.

Mr. Russell as a lawyer had a very large practice and numbered among his clients some of the foremost men of the country, one of whom a noted Congressman said: "Mr. Russell is the most honest upright lawyer I ever dealt with and I have dealt with many."

Mr. Russell held many offices in city and county affairs, was Representative to Legislature for two years, was a most highly respected member of Stratford Co. bar. He also practiced law in York and Cumberland Counties in Maine.

He married July 1st, 1885, Lucy W. Tibbets of Somersworth, who survives him. He is also survived by two daughters, Lucia G. and Frances E. He also leaves a brother, Charles J. Russell of Philadelphia and four sisters, Mrs. Mary F. Ross of South Portland, Mrs. Anna E. Hale of Newton, Mass., Elizabeth W. Russell of Portland and Mrs. Alice M. E. Skinner of Manchester, N. H.

Mr. Russell was a member of Lake Umbagog, A. F. and A. M., also Stephen J. Wentworth Camp, Sons of Veterans. He was also member of several golf and other clubs, was a staunch Republican and member of the First Congregational Church in Somersworth.

The funeral services were held in the home on Noble street, Portland, Tuesday, December 12th, and although the weather was very inclement, there was a large attendance of friends and relatives.

The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Frank Woodworth of the First Congregational Church, assisted by Rev. Henry Hyde and Rev. John Chapin of St. Thomas Episcopal church at Dover. A quartet sang. The bearers were Judge Christopher C. Wells, Col. Walter Lawson, Frederick Ricker, Edgar Carter, Fred R. Wentworth and Dr. J. G. Hammond.

The profusion of beautiful flowers gave silent tribute to his memory and a mute eloquence of the high esteem in which he was held by his friends and associates. He was truly a self-made man and no doubt to whom was said, "Well done, Thou good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

BOLSTER'S MILLS

The students from Bates came at home for Christmas holidays, Elmer Mills, Helen Clark and Donald Wight.

Louise Wight is at home from her school in Bridgton.

Jasper Haggerty and wife are at Walker's Mills.

Ethel Haskell has been at Hotel Weston visiting her father, who has recently returned from a long visit to his people in Boston and vicinity.

At the postponed meeting of the Grange Saturday evening the officers for the ensuing year were elected. Worthy Master A. W. Weston gave an account of his trip to Bangor to attend State Grange and Norton Jilison spoke of his visit to Portland to attend the Corn Club Convention, giving special mention to his enjoyment of the big organ. Norton took a prize of \$12 for his corn and his friends are very glad of his success, as he works hard. Apples and popped corn were eaten at this, the last meeting of the year.

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PARIS HILL

Christmas guests at Alonzo Pomeroy's were Charles Pomeroy and family, Lulu Daniels of Auburn, Edith Pomeroy of Lewiston, Reginald Cummings and family and Thelma Daniels, twenty in number.

Mrs. H. P. Hammond, Bert Jackson, Albert and Riva Jackson spent Xmas Day at H. Cole and Andrews in Woodstock.

J. B. Cole and son Archie of Poland Spring were at home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Doe of Portland were at Mr. Slattery's over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaw of Brunswick spent the week-end at E. B. Curtis'.

Mrs. Hubbard closed her house Wednesday and will visit friends in Auburn.

Windor Chute was at the Hubbard House Christmas Day.

George Turner and family left Tuesday for Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shaw, Clyde Shaw, Henry Shaw and Lois Curtis attended the Sunlight Hop at Norway Opera House Xmas afternoon.

Mrs. Emily A. Stowe fell Tuesday and broke the large bone of the right arm near the wrist.

NORTH BUCKFIELD

New Year's Greeting

With the hope that New Year's Day finds our friends and customers enjoying a full measure of satisfaction as a result of their relations with us, we wish to express our profound thanks for their valued patronage during the year, and at the same time offer our assurance that we will endeavor to remain always worthy of your highest confidence. That the New Year has an abundance of happiness and prosperity in store for the people at Norway and vicinity is our earnest wish.

Look what you can save on Suits and Coats

\$15.00 Suits now.....	\$10.00
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\$17.50 and \$18.50 Suits now.....	12.50
\$19.00 to \$22.50 Suits now.....	15.00
\$25.00 Suits now.....	17.50

LADIES' AND MISSES' COATS at a saving of \$3.00 to \$7.00 on a garment from our regular low prices.

CHILDREN'S COATS all marked down to just a little more than half price.

HOLIDAY NOVELTIES

We propose to close-out at some price all Holiday Novelties at once, therefore we make a price reduction of 25, 33 and 50 per cent. and in some cases a greater reduction to insure a quick clean up.

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Complete Home Outfits

4 ROOMS	4 ROOMS	4 ROOMS	4 ROOMS
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South Paris
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Community Christmas Tree
Weather conditions were not favorable for a suitable observance of the complete program as arranged by the committee. The rain on Friday evening entirely prevented any out door gathering, but on Saturday evening, in spite of the cold, rough weather conditions, a fair sized company of school children assembled under the leadership of Mrs. Agnes L. Morton and sang carols.

The weather Sunday evening was more agreeable and comfortable, therefore a large crowd gathered in the Square where the Community tree stood, brilliantly illuminated with small green, red and white incandescent lights, the decoration being the work of the Oxford Electric Co. Carols were sung and then the crowd went to the Deering Memorial church for the union service. The church was filled to its capacity, the children being seated in the choir and on the platform.

At a little over an hour was occupied by the service, except that a cornet solo by Lloyd Davis was substituted for the selection by the Schubert Quartette. The remarks by the several pastors were brief but impressive, and the old Christmas hymns by the congregation were spirited and earnest. Monday morning at 8 o'clock there was the last session of carol singing by the children around the tree in the Square, and Santa Claus appeared and gave each of the children a bag of candy and other good things.

Mrs. Arthur S. Hall
Mrs. Alice M. wife of Arthur S. Hall, of Buckfield, died Friday night after a long illness, in Lewiston, where the Hall family had taken a rent for the winter. Mrs. Hall was the daughter and only child of the late A. C. T. and Mary E. (Morton) King. She was born Jan. 11, 1873, in South Paris, which was her home until her marriage to Mr. Hall. Besides her husband she leaves a daughter Mary and a son Harry, both of whom are members of the class of 1919 in Bates College. The funeral was held at 10 o'clock Tuesday, at the home of Mountain Grange at North Buckfield.

Richardson-Wight
Florence M. Richardson of South Paris and Samuel Kasper Wight formerly of North Bridgton were married in Buffalo, N. Y. Saturday, December 23, by Rev. Christian G. Haas of that city, leaving immediately for Cleveland, Ohio, where they will reside in apartments at No. 1894 East Twentieth Street.

Mrs. Wight is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Matilda Richardson of South Paris. She is a graduate of Park High School and attended the Farmington Normal School and Bliss Business College. For a number of years she was a successful teacher in the Paris schools, leaving for a position as stenographer in the law office of Alton C. Wheeler. Mrs. Wight is a member of the Deering Memorial Methodist Church, has been president of the Delta Alpha Society, also is a member of Mt. Pleasant Rebekah lodge.

Mr. Wight is manager of the Orona Manufacturing Company of Boston for the state of Ohio and Indiana with headquarters at Cleveland.

The wedding came as a surprise to friends in town and was well planned. She left Paris about a week ago, ostensibly on a visit to a sister in Exeter, N. H. No cards will be issued.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Williamson left early this week for Saratoga Springs, N. Y. Mr. Williamson is a telegraph operator and has worked in the South Paris station since August. A Mr. Desjardins from Quebec takes his place.

Sunday morning a pretty service was carried out in connection with the "White Gifts for the King" at Deering Memorial Church. There were gifts from the Cradle Roll and primary department, also white presents from the intermediate and adult division of the Sunday School. A musical number "Nazareth" by Gounod, played as a cornet solo by Lloyd Davis was well rendered.

The orchestra, who kindly assisted in the union service Sunday evening included Grace Dean, George Davis, Chester Hammond, violins; Lloyd Davis, Frank Kimball, Bertie Wheeler, cornets; and James Mason, trombone.

WEST SUMMER

Friends have received the announcement of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Millett, formerly of this place.

Mrs. Ella Dunn has gone to Livermore Falls to visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ella Doble recently returned to Buffalo, N. Y. Her son has returned to Buffalo, N. Y. The Baptist people did not have a Christmas tree at the church owing to bad weather and so much sickness.

Ladies' Aid will have a masquerade party, December 29 at the vestry.

Arthur Allen has bought a fine pair of western horses.

Dr. Cole, dentist, of Buckfield was in the place last week on business.

Mrs. Inez Bisbee and children spent Christmas day with her brother at Redding.

NORTH WATERFORD

Rice Neighborhood
Mrs. Burnham Rice and Ralph Rice spent Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bell.

Fannie Hersey was in North Bridgton for Christmas.

Mrs. Hall's body was taken to Lisbon, N. H. for burial on Saturday. Her death was felt by many in this neighborhood.

Mrs. Martha Sawin is caring for the sick at Irving Green's. Donald Green had a very severe attack of croup Friday night. The doctor and others were called in to help.

Harvey Parker is planning to sell his estate here and household goods.

GILEAD

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Brown and family, who have spent the summer here, returned to Berlin, N. H. last week.

Mrs. Florence Bryant was in Berlin, N. H. one day last week.

Mrs. Angus Fraser was taken to the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin, N. H. Friday for treatment.

Mrs. Chester Wheeler was in Bethel one day last week.

Mrs. Mae Curtis and daughter were in Berlin, N. H., recently.

Fred Cole cut his leg badly last Monday while working in the woods.

A. R. Bryant returned home from Bangor, Friday, where he has been attending State Grange.

Dr. R. E. Tibbotts of Bethel was in town one day this week.

Mrs. Andrew Yarnette spent the week-end in Berlin.

Closing Out Bargains at MASSECK'S

We are going out of a large number of articles in small **HARDWARE**. Shall not keep them longer, hawks, staples, brackets, butts, hammer handles, tool handles, screws, small tools, whitewash brushes, etc., etc., all these at **HALF PRICE**.

CROCKERY—Odds and ends of stock marked down.

PLATES—Cups and saucers, nappies, platters, etc.—a great big lot of stuff from the best American factory, subject to slight factory imperfections, but all right for every day. 5c each and up. New and never before offered by us.

ENAMELED WARE—5c, 10c. Many pieces worth double, also the best enameled ware in all sizes and shapes at 10% off regular prices.

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OIL CLOTH FOR TABLES—White and colored, only 20c yard.

FLASH LIGHTS—All kinds, a fine one for 50c, complete. (By mail 55c.)

WATER SETS—Large water bottle, cut glass top, etched and six glasses to match in design, only 98c, value \$1.50. (A water bottle is handy to use and is easily covered and can be put in ice box in summer.)

CANDY—Our Christmas candy was shipped on time, freight embargo held it back. We had none for Christmas, we expect it any day now. It is pure and wholesome and in a large variety of flavors and shapes. Price 15c a pound.

STATIONERY—Paper is up. Ours we own at old prices, which means a saving to you for best quality, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c and up per box.

VIOLET INK—A large bottle 5c, also black, white, red, blue ink, colored and white pencils, secret and indelible ink.

SHOE POLISH—Liquid or paste, black, tan and white, 8c.

SILVER POLISH—"Cando," 8c bottle.

WHY PAY MORE?

WINDOW SHADES—In four colors. The regular roll up cloth curtain 23c, worth 30c today.

HOSIERY—Heavy wool for men. This sale 35c, value 50c.

SHEET MUSIC—10c.

CHILDREN'S HOSE—Mill seconds 10c, value 20c at least.

DOLLS—Dressed dolls, 1-3 off our usual low prices. Buy now for next Christmas. 25c dolls 17c, 30c dolls 20c, 50c dolls 34c, 75c dolls 50c and so on.

GLASSWARE—Lots of odd things, sugar bowls, syrup pitchers, sauce dishes, compotes, at 10c each.

LARGE two piece punch bowl, near cut glass, and six glass cups, value \$4.00, only \$1.98.

WATER SETS—Large variety at 20% off regular prices. Buy now for next summer.

CANDY—Chocolates of proven quality. Eat one "on us." If you ever saw better for 40c we miss our guess. We sell 'em for 25c a pound, nougates, peppermints, coffee, pineapple, marmalade and many others. Try one pound.

BOOKS—The Alger books, regular price for one volume 15c. This sale 11c a copy. Boy Scout books, two for 25c.

All the above and many more on sale Saturday and all next week.
5c, 10c, 25c goods in great variety.
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We Thank You

for your share in making this a very successful year for our store. Our sales show a big increase over past years.

Our Policy To handle only quality merchandise that we can guarantee, marked at a fair profit. Just one price, makes this a store you will enjoy shopping in.

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On All Fall and Winter Coats and Suits, All New This Season.

Suits were \$12.45.....now \$ 7.45	Coats were \$12.45.....now \$ 7.45
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